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KALIMANTAN EMERGENCY RESPONSE

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

During this fifth quarterly period, the team keeps continue to monitor the nutrition status of children under five in all IDPs camps in Pontianak Municipality, Pontianak District, and Bengkayang District and distributing supplement food in dry ration for under-five children.

Due to the nutritional screening held in Pontianak, Wajok and Marhaban camps, the average figure of severe malnourished children U5 in this period was 0.48 % of total children U5 population in camps.

The operational of TFC, which since August 2000 was under Dinas Kesehatan Pontianak have been closed down on November 30, 2000 due to no more government funding available for this purpose. Any identified severe malnourished after the date will be referred to the hospital to have adequate treatment and after they recover, the health team will carry out periodic home visit to monitor their nutrition and health status.

Coordination with Local Government and Other NGOs

During its fifth quarterly of operation, the KER team established coordination with local government and other NGOs:

- On October 5, 2000, Dr. Theresia Ella had a meeting with Ms. Hellen and Ms. Magda of MSF-H on conducting joint operation of scabies treatment for IDP. KER health team would be responsible for giving health education on scabies meanwhile MSF team would run a clinic to treat scabies patients.
- On October 17, 2000, KER team held a meeting with Mr. Herry of Dinas Kesehatan Pontianak to coordinate distribution of vegetable oil and sugar provided by Dinas as additional to WV supplement feeding activities.
- On November 3, 2000, Dr. Theresia Ella, Dr. Endang and Masrawati had a meeting with Mr. Hankam of Kantor Sosial, Mr. Achmad Sulaiman of Pemda Kalbar, Dr. Chonidi, Mr. Henry and Mr. Arie of Kanwil Kesehatan, Mr. Coulom, Ms. Hellen, Mr. John, Ms. Magda of MSF-H at Kanwil Kesehatan Kalbar, to discuss on result of rapid survey held by MSF-H due to recent situation within IDP camp after October 25's clashes.
- On November 6, 2000, Dr. Endang and Dr. Ella had a meeting with Dr. Pendi of Dinkes Pontianak to discuss the possibility of TFC extension and it is informed that the operation of TFC will be continue at the end of February 2001 if the budget request approved by the government.
- On November 6, 2000, Dr. Ella and Dr. Endang had a meeting with Ms. Arisnawati to discuss on "PosyanGita" health cadre training on November 13 and 14 and a part of training material would be delivered by Dinkes staff.

- On November 7,2000, Dr. Ella and Dr. Endang had a meeting with Dr. Oscar Primadi, MPH, Head of Dinkes Kodya Pontianak to arrange opening schedule of Posyangita training that would be officially opened by Head of Dinkes Kodya Pontianak.
- On November 8, 2000, Dr. Ella and Dr. Endang had a meeting with Ms. Elizabeth and Mr. Alovsius of SCF and Dinkes staff to arrange schedule for Posyangita training.
- On November 9,2000, Ms. Masrawati and Dr. Endang had a meeting with Dr. Oscar Primardi, MPH of Dinkes Kodya Pontianak to introduce SCF staff and reporting the preparedness of Posyangita training.
- On November 9,2000, Ms. Masrawati and Dr. Endang had a coordination meeting with Mr. Coulom and Ms. Hellen of MSF-H and Ms. Elizabeth and Mr. Alloysius of SCF.
- On November 10,2000, Dr. Ella and Dr. Endang had a meeting with Dr. Darma of Dinkes and Dr. Suzana, chief of Kalbar's National Healthy Day committee to report on the preparedness of Posyangita as part of National Healthy Day activity.
- On November 13,2000, Ms. Masrawati and Mr. Hendi had a meeting with Mr. Karsono of Bappeda Kalbar to gain information on progress of relocation plan held by the government. To date, it is found that of 2000 IDP household which were planned to be relocated this year, only less than 200 household which have been relocated and the infrastructure facilities to support this plan were not adequately built yet.
- On November 16,2000, Dr. Ella had a meeting with Dr. Darmaneli of Puskesmas Pal Tiga, Dr. Nani of Puskesmas Purnama, Mr. Sius of Puskesmas Urip, and Puskesmas Alianyang and Gg Sehat staff to discuss on Posyangita schedule that will follow Puskesmas schedule so that provide integrated health service consist of nutrition screening, vitadele distribution, health promotion, immunization and health curative.
- On November 16, 2000, Dr. Ella, Ms. Masrawati attended NGO coordination meeting between WV, MSF-H and SCF that discussed on joint health training for IDP health cadres.
- On November 17, 2000, Humanitarian Commission for Social Unrest Victim (HIMMA-KALBAR) held a meeting attended by WV, Assistance III of West Kalimantan Governor, Bappeda, Dinkes, Dinsos, Deptrans, Depag, Dinas PU, Polresta, MSF and representative of IDP. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss on the provision of government food aid to Sambas IDP and relocation plan. The government expected the supporting from the IDP itself so that the relocation plan can be implemented.
- On November 23,2000, Dr. Ella had a meeting with Dr. Barita, head of Puskesmas Tanjung Batu, to discuss on health service and supplementary feeding provided for under five children. As of December 1, Puskesmas Tanjung Batu will distribute supplementary feeding for under five children who was indicated malnutrition and schedule for under five children immunization held by Puskesmas will be adjusted to WV's nutrition screening schedule for Marhaban camp.

- On November 23, 2000, Dr. Ella and Ms. Masrawati attended NGO coordination meeting between WV, MSF-H and SCF to share information on progress of relocation plan and developing of health cadre and training.
- On November 30, 2000 Dr. Ella had a meeting with Mr. Ari and Mr. Heri of Dinas Kesehatan Tk. I and Dr. Barita (Puskesmas Tanjung Batu) to discuss on health service for Marhaban camp's IDPs. Dinas Kesehatan Tk. I will keep distributing package of vegetable oil and sugar for U5 children, lactating and pregnant mother meanwhile WV distributes vitadele until January 2001 and Puskesmas Tanjung Batu will provide supplement feeding daily for severe malnourished children for three month period (December 2000 February 2001) in form of egg and milk.
- On December 7 9,2000 Dr. Ella had a meeting with each head of Puskesmas Purnama, Puskesmas Alianyang, Puskesmas Jendral Urip, Puskesmas Kampung Bangka, Puskesmas Gang Sehat and Puskesmas Yos Sudarso. The purpose of the meeting is to make regular schedule of integrated Posyan Gita service between WV and mobile health post unit of Puskesmas in each IDP camp.
- On December 9, 2000 Ms.Masrawati had a meeting with head of Puskesmas Wajo to determine the schedule of Posyangita service in Wajok camp. This service will be held on the 12th every month.

1.1 Management Report

1.1.1 Design and Training

- On September 25-27, 2000, Dr. Theresia Ella attended Health Educator Training held in national office of WV in Jakarta.
- As of first of October 2000, all of daily activity of Therapeutic Feeding Center would be run
 by health staff of Dinas Kesehatan, meanwhile all KER health staff have been pulled out.Dr.
 Theresia Ella keeps monitoring the operation of TFC and gives advise to Dinas Kesehatan
 team.
- On November 13 and 14, 2000, Dr. Ella and Dr. Endang in collaboration with Family Welfare Unit of Dinkes Kodya Pontianak and committee of National Healthy Day conducting a health training for 33 IDP cadres from 6 IDP camps within Pontianak and Wajok. The purpose of this training was to equip the cadre with basic nutrition screening skill and data input so when WV accomplish its service in camp, the cadre will be able to do it by themselves.
- On November 20 23, 2000, Ms. Endang Sri Wahyuni, Health Officer Assistant attended Health Care Training held in national office of WV in Jakarta.
- To increase the capability of health cadres in conducting registration, data input and measurement of under five children and mother through Posyangita program, the health staff

gave periodic training for each cadre which held in each camp a week before Posyangita schedule in Pontianak and Marhaban camp.

!.1.2 Personnel

32 personnel had been involved in the fourth quarterly of operation.

Core team : Commodity team :

1 Health Officer 1 Commodity assistant

1 Commodity Officer 1 Warehouse supervisor

4 Warehouse staff

Health team:

21 Health Educator Office / administration staff:

1 Driver 1 Finance 1 Janitor

1.1.3 Finance

Month	Total	Current	YTD	Remain	YTD	YTD
	Grant	Period	Total	Grant	Actual	Budget
	Budget	Expenses	Expenses	Funds	Variance	Variance
	US\$	US\$	US\$			
October	306,554	3,846	3,846	75,706	134,965	44.03%
November	306,554	6,673	10,520	69,032	124,446	40.60%
December	306,554	9,481	20,001	59,551	114,966	37.50%

1.1.4 Monitoring

On November 14-15, 2000, Mr. Herbie Smith and Mr. Matt Nims of USAID, Mr. Phillip Clarke and Ms. Syahgena of WFP visited Pontianak to look over the condition of IDP due to the recent inter ethnic clashes that happened on October 25-26 and they do not find any indicator of starvation within the IDP camps as reported by other NGO operated in Pontianak. They also had a meeting with Kakanwil Transmigrasi Kalbar, who is in charge for relocation plan implementation and gained the information that to date only 10 % of targeted IDP who are willing to be relocated in the new area such as P. Nyamuk(22 hh), Parit Sumber Bahagia(45 hh), Parit Haji Ali (36 hh), and Tebang Kacang SP2 (85 hh). The government had difficulty to fulfill the plan due to IDP's less cooperative.

1.1.5 Commodity

During its fourth quarter of operation, WV distributed green bean and vitadele.

October 2000 : Distribute 5,001 kg of green bean to 1667 children under 5 years old. November 2000 : Distribute 3,486 kg of vitadele to 1743 children under 5 years old December 2000 : Distribute 3,266 kg of vitadele to 1633 children under 5 years old

2. ACCOMPLISHMENT PER OBJECTIVES:

GOAL: To assist the GOI in the emergency response to the influx of refugees at the IDP camps in Pontianak district and in Sambas district; through the provision goods and services to combat malnutrition and maintain adequate standards of health among the IDP's registered at the camps, until such time as IDP's can relocated to permanent locations.

Objective 1: Remedy and reduce of severe malnutrition for IDP children in Sambas district and Pontianak district IDP camps; through Therapeutic Feeding Center activities that administer oral re-hydration salts and fortified feeding formulas.

Monitoring by Activities:

1. Operate and manage Therapeutic Feeding Center (TFC)

Accomplishment from Oct 2000 to Dec 2000

Activities TFC Soedarso Nov Oct Dec Total children U5 under treatment during the month New admission 2 2 0 Readmissions 0 0 0 Discharge 2 0 0 Progressed to SFP 0 0 0 Death 0 0 0 0 0 Transferred to hospital 1 Defaulters 2 2 0 Total Exits 0

Explanation

As of August 2000, the operational of TFC was handed over to Dinas Kesehatan Tingkat I Pontianak and it operated until November 30,2000. During this period KER health officer took a role as consultant to the doctor in charge for daily operation. After TFC closed down, any identified severe malnourished children will be referred to the hospital and the health team will conduct home visit periodically to the children to monitor their progress after the children received treatment from the hospital

Objective 2: Enhance the nutritional and health status of moderately malnourished children U5s and prevent further cases of malnutrition among the general U5s child population

Monitoring by activities:

2.1 Screen the nutritional status of children U5s in the camps every month

Accomplishment from Oct 2000 to Dec 2000

Location Nutritional October November December Status No. No. No. % % % 3 4 0.30 Pontianak Severe 0.42 3 0.29 73 60 5.75 55 5.46 Moderate 7.72 Mild 348 36.83 353 33.84 278 27.61 Nomal 520 55.03 627 60.12 671 66.63 100.00 Total measure 945 100.00 1043 1007 100.00 children U5 0.76 Wajok Severe 1 0.26 3 1 0.28 Moderate 33 8.64 30 7.56 27 7.50 Mild 169 44.24 135 34.01 107 29.72 Nomal 225 179 46.86 229 57.68 62.50 Total measure 382 100.00 397 100.00 360 100.00 children U5 Marhaban Severe 5 1.20 5 1.21 0.27 1 Moderate 32 7.71 23 5.57 14 3.83 Mild 133 32.05 135 32.69 95 25.96 Normal 59.04 60.53 69.95 245 250 256 100.00 100.00 100.00 Total measure 415 413 366 children U5

Explanation

Based on the nutritional status screening held in this quarterly, the percentage of severe and moderate malnourished children that identified in Pontianak and Sambas area tends to decrease.

2.2 Distribute supplemental fortified blended foods to children U5s

Accomplishment from Oct 2000 to Dec 2000			Explanation
			Supplement feeding provided in dry ration to all children under 5 years
October	November	December	old in Pontianak and Marhaban area. The food was distributed once a
dist. 5,001 kgs	dist.3,486 kgs	dist. 3,266 kgs	month at the same time the health
of green bean to	of vitadele to	of vitadele to	team conduct nutrition screening activity
1667 U5 children	1743 U5 children	1633 U5 children	activity

Objective 3: Prevent the spreading of disease and illness among the camp populations within the IDP camps in Sambas district and Pontianak district. Nutritional level within the camp population will be continuously monitored as an early warning system to respond to a deteriorating situation.

Monitored by Activities:

3. Health education to the camp populations in relation to prevent the spreading diseases and illness

Accomplishment from Oct 2000 to Dec 2000	Explanation
Through integrated health service which carried out along with local puskesmas staff (Posyangita program), the health team gave the health education directly to the mother which related to health condition of their children.	In doing the health education, the team was assisted by IDP who has been trained as health cadres.
The health team also gave health education to the mother at the time they made home visit periodically to the children who identified malnourished.	

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